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ODDS AND ENDS OF GOSSIP.

THE TOWN OF NOGHOD.

(New Haven Register.)

My friend have you heard of the town of Noghod,
On the banks of the Hi or Slow,
Where blooms the Watawhile flower fair,
Where the Somedayorother scents the air,
And the soft Goosey grow?

It lies in the Valley of Whatsthem,
In the province of Letcalite;
That itself is native there,
Its growth of the most sullen fear
Where the Giveems abide.

The town is as old as the human race,
And is crown with the dust of years.
Its wrapped in the fog of idlers' dreams,
Its streets are paved with "discarded schemes"
And sprinkled with useless cares.

The Collegeruffled and the Richman's fair
Are plentiful there, no doubt;
The poet of no regard are a motley crew
With every Care except out to view—
The Footslider is barred out.

The town of Noghod is all bedecked above
By the Mountains of Despair,
No sentinel stands on its gloomy wall,
No trumpet to battle and triumph calls,
For cowards alone are there.

My friend, from the dust-alive town Noghod,
It would shun for a year,
Just follow your duty thought good and do,
Take this for your motto: "Lean, I will—
And into us on it dash thy."

LEACHTAX.—The Louisville Dispatch has the following to say of one of our well known citizens. Washington county will present one candidate to the Democracy of the State for a state office in the person of Hon. M. G. Leachman for Commissioner of Agriculture. Mr. Leachman is well known throughout the State, having served as a member of the Legislature in the memorable session that witnessed the long struggle between Senator Blackburn, General Williams and Judge W. N. Sweeney. He has since then served one term and is now serving his second term as school superintendent of the public schools of Washington county, declining to stand for re-election at the last election. He resides on a farm about four miles from Springfield, in the well known Pleasant Grove neighborhood. He is a practical farmer and a well educated gentleman, having graduated at Georgetown college. There is no more popular man in Washington county. He was never defeated for any position that he ever asked for. Genial and warm hearted, the number of his friends is only limited by his acquaintance.

IT IS DEAD.—The hog law is dead to all practical purposes so far as Springfield is concerned. Just why this is the case no one seems to know, but the porkers that can be seen daily wandering through our streets bear witness to the fact that the stock law is as dead as last year's bird nest. It seems that the immediate cause of the death of the stock law was, that some one whose cow or hog had been taken up and impounded, broke into the pound and released his stock without the consent of the pound keeper, or any one else. The town officials then, instead of prosecuting the offender and upholding an ordinance which they have passed, are inclined to let the matter go, and in the meantime, the hog is allowed to go and root about at his own sweet will. Another reason for the inaction of the town officials is, that it is said that some one said that some lawyer said that the stock law is unconstitutional, and that settles it. It seems a strange thing that a law that is in force in almost every city, town and village in the State, should be unconstitutional in Springfield, but then Springfield is an exceptional town in many respects.

A FARMER'S KICK.—By the way, I heard a kick the other day from a farmer in the country against the town people which is deserving of consideration. He said: "You town people ought to provide some place about town as a hitching stand for the country people who come to town. The town folks, merchants and all want the country man to come to town and do his trading, and yet no conveniences are provided for him. It is the hardest matter for a man to find any good place to hitch his horse and we do not always feel like paying to hitch at a livery stable just for the short time we expect to be in town." We might suggest that for the benefit of the country people who come to town and don't hitch in livery stable, that the town authorities get control of some vacant lot about town and erect hitching posts on it and have the hitching privileges free to all.

CHERRY.—The handsome new store of McCherd & Robertson is a credit to the town and will compare favorably with many such establishments in the larger cities. The firm has evidently stopped at no expense to make their place of business complete in all of its appointments. The latest addition is a hot air furnace for heating the building which was put in by McElroy & Shultz. The patent cash carriers are used throughout the store, and every facility for convenience and for the accommodation of customers is employed. This popular firm should be commended for its enterprise.

A NEW FIRM.—A new firm which promises to be prominently in the push for the patronage of the local public is that composed of Harry B. Thompson and H. D. Lake. Their new business house is now nearly complete, and will be a handsome addition to the business part of town. Harry Thompson is well known as a good business man and a popular young fellow. Mr. Lake has been in the tobacco business here for two years, and has made himself popular with Washington county people. He will, in addition to his business here, continue his tobacco business in Louisville, dividing his time between the two places. The new firm will handle farming implements, seeds, grass, tobacco, etc.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. the proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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The Local Paper.

Ex-Gov. Francis, of Missouri, is a Kentuckian, a patriot and gentleman. He is quoted as saying: "Each year the local paper gives from $500 to $1,000 in free lines to the community in which it is located. No other agency can or will do this. The editor in proportion to his means, does more for his town than any other ten men. Thought to be supported, not because you like him personally or admire his writing, but because a local paper is the best investment a dead people can make. It may not be brilliantly edited or overcrowded with thought, but practically it is of more benefit to the community than the teacher or preacher. Understand me, I do not mean morally or intellectually, but financially."

How to Prevent a Cold.

After an exposure, when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Pe-ru-na. It will prevent it. It never fails.

WITH OUR FARMERS.

Notices stock, seed or grain, wanted or for sale or exchange insertion in this column every issue free of charge. Farmers are requested to send in stock or crop items for publication.

Hardin county wheat growers spent $48,000 for fertilizers last year.

St. Louis "bull" expects the belief that wheat will go $1.00 before long.

The fine imported stallion, Apollo, valued at $10,000, died at Nashville a few days ago.

Barbee & Campbell, the local millers, are paying 84 cents per bushel for wheat.

A flock of 50 hens, well tended, should give a net profit of $50 per year. How can you make the same capital and labor pay more?

Mild recent rains have brought the wheat out wonderfully, while the grass is growing like the spring time. The vitality of our own bluegrass is something wonderful.

Messrs. B. L. Mattingly and W. H. Spalding, of Marion county, shipped from this place on Tuesday a carload of export cattle. They were bought in this county and were a fine lot.

A large barn, belonging to Enos Bells, near Sharpsburg, was burned last week. Eighteen head of horses that were in the field near by ran into the barn while it was burning, and all perished in the flames.

American farmers do not understand the management of small pieces of ground as well as they might, as they are used to cheap lands and large farms. We might learn some very profitable lessons from the immigrants that come to us, for they grow rich where an American would slowly starve.

Mrs. Mary Tracy, who lives near town, owns a scrub pullet that has a tow-string on its head as large as a man's fist. Growing from the top knot is a bunch of beautiful feathers, which gives the bird a very strange and outstanding appearance, and it struts about the premises lording it over the other fowls who give him full sway, seeming to know that they are not in it with the plumed knight.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

There are perhaps more fruit trees sold every year in Washington county than in any county in the State that produces as little fruit as it does. Just at this season every year there are thousands of fruit trees delivered to farmers in the county, and yet there isn't any fruit shipped out from this county, and farmers hardly have enough for their own use. The reason for this is, that the average farmer has an idea that all that is necessary is buy a fruit tree, dig a hole and stick it in the ground and let it grow and bear if it will. There never was a greater mistake. Fruit trees require the most careful attention and cultivation before they can be expected to thrive and produce fruit.

Coughed 12 Years.

I suffered for 12 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with physicians and medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. H. Bissell, Vermilion, Ill.

The Election Sham.

The election sham will get to rest awhile, or rather the candidates will get a rest from the persistency of the fellows who are always wanting to borrow a quarter or a half dollar until next Saturday. There is perhaps not a town or community in the State of Kentucky where this being does not flourish and ply its trade. There is no change in the world to shake him off or dodge out of his way. He will turn up at all places and just when you least expect to meet him. He is always bland and affable, and to hear him tell it he is a man of vast influence in his crowd. The candidate is always at the mercy of such fellows. He is afraid not to give to the mendicant for fear that he will lose a vote, and he knows that by giving does not necessarily mean that he is to secure the vote that is promised. There really ought to be a stringent law against anyone who will ask a candidate for the use or loan of anything of value pending an election day.—Ky.

KENNY PARAGRAPHS.

A Boston woman shot her sick husband and then herself. Both will die.

A man killed his wife and his sister were killed from ambush by unknown persons near Fairburn, Ga. Bloodhounds were placed upon the trail.

A German war ship shelled and destroyed a New Guinea village on account of the murder of a German trader.

Euan Reynold, while hunting near Muncie, Ind., accidentally shot and killed himself.

Mrs. James Wilmot wife of a Boyle county farmer, shot and no doubt fatally wounded a negro who was trying to get into her house.

President Dole of Hawaii says the United States must soon annex the islands or rapidly increasing Asiatic population will seize the reigns of government.

Rebels are burning sugar plantations in Cuba.

A posse of negroes is hunting for John Humphreys Conp, colored, who killed Cal Harrison, another negro, in Logan county.

Jerry Mebane, a half-witted negro, was found in Wolfe river, near Collierville, Tenn. The body was badly decomposed. Two brothers named Stark are in jail charged with the murder of the boy.

H. Clay Evans, Jr. will marry a young lady at Jonesboro, Ark.

Roma Bronson and his sweetheart were killed by lightning at Point Block Mountain, Ark.

Gov. Atkinson has announced his candidacy for the United States Senate from West Virginia.

John Wellingham, a prosperous young farmer, was to have been married at Ashman, Ala., to miss Lillian Brown. He went to the Brown home at the appointed time, and found an elaborate feast prepared and 200 invited guests present, but when a servant went to the bride's room to notify her of the arrival of her intended she was missing. She had eloped with James Echols, another lover. Sue was made Mrs. Echols at Jasper.

F. M. Chinwood, of Kirkville, Miss., shot and killed J. J. Miller. A dispute as to an account brought about the tragedy.

Five hundred horses have died from anthrax in the counties of Harris, Galveston and Brazoria in Texas.

Harry Phillips colored, a self confessed murderer and moonshiner, was lynched at Osceola, Ark.

At Ashland, Miss., W. H. Harrison, editor of the Register, was stabbed to death by J. L. McDonald as the result of a quarrel over a trivial matter.

J. A. Thomas, the notorious forger, who escaped jail at Memphis, has not yet been recaptured. Thomas was arrested several months ago after a long chase. He had just been married to Miss Fannie Rutherford, a Minneapolis heiress, who was ignorant of the fact that he was criminal. She has stuck to him faithfully since.

The Sayings says the bond issue failed to carry in Mercer, but that the roads will be freed. Under the law, "Certificates of Purchase," bearing 6 per cent interest can be issued to run until another bond issue election can be held. At a meeting of Court Col. T. C. Bell reported about 175 miles of pikes in Mercer, a great deal of which paid no dividend. He estimated that $31,000 would buy the interest paying pikes, and that it would cost its county $18 a mile, or $3,000 a year to keep the roads in good condition.

New and Valuable

Medical discoveries are continued to be made from the Pine Forest. It exhibits a new theory in the treatment of diseases of the lungs, throat and bronchial tubes. It is a remarkably pleasant and thoroughly effective remedy called Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey.

MACKVILLE

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

Farmers are about through gathering corn in this section.

Mr. Matthew Geaves has been quite ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Penn is holding a protracted meeting at Stewart this week.

W. T. Leachman, of Beechland, spent Sunday last at Perryville, the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. H. Godby.

W. B. Hatchett bought of John D. Sweeney 100 barrels of corn at $2 per barrel.

Rev. W. A. Penn and wife went to Harrodsburg last Saturday to hear Sam Jones lecture.

DIED—On last Sunday morning, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bricken. Interment at the family burying ground.

Charlie Cunningham and Miss Clara Lacey, of near this place, eloped last Sunday and were married at Cornlaiville.

If You Are Restless

and can not sleep at night, a dose of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will give you natural rest and refreshing sleep. It checks a cough at once and cures a cold in one night. It heals the throat, chest, and lungs, cures la grippe permanently, does not stupefy, is harmless. Children love it. Old people like it. Good druggists sell it. Price, 25c.

MAPLE HILL.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

A pretty joke is being told on the great Mark Hanna and a prominent local politician of the Mooresville neighborhood. Owing to the prominence Mr. Hanna has attained, the metropolitan paper when speaking of him say "Hanna," omitting his given name altogether. The Mooresville man knowing that the name Hanna is distinctly of a feminine nature, and on account of its association with that of the President, concluded that Hanna must be McKinley's wife. On election day the gentleman said: "Hanna must be a very popular woman. I never pick up a paper that does not contain her name."

On Saturday evening we paid the little town of Polin a visit. Polin is a quaint place, nestled away in the hills in the most remote part of Washington county. It is better known as Walton's Lick, from the fact that it contains a salt spring, which in the early days of Kentucky, attracted many deer and other animals who licked the rock in quest of salt. Some ten years ago the Post office was established there and given the name of Polin in honor of Enos Polin, the first Postmaster. While there we met your popular correspondent and accosted her of negligence in sending in news, who in turn called us to task in regard to our silence concerning the recent election returns.

Miss Ella and Maggie Binta and Miss Lulie Shields, of Taylorsville, passed through our town enroute to Polin to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bishop.

Minnie Lizzie and Berta Brightly spent Sunday with Miss Gertrude Wolford.

Prof. W. B. Greer, of Green's Chapel, Ky., is a frequent visitor at this place. Wonder what's the attraction?

Accidents come in this place from Graphin that whatever goes down here goes down two to light last week.

To hear people talk you would think that Washington county is composed wholly of the brokers, raidiga and critical of all kinds, but to the honest eyes of your humble correspondent, the citizens of old Washington are law abiding and law full as a body of any different county. People should be sent of a kind before they can claim advance.

Mr. James Yates and wife of Sharpsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sutherland.

Don't fail to attend the center fair next at Green's Chapel on Friday evening, November 26.

Miss Grace Williams spent Sunday with Miss May Greer.

While the "Big Sandicane" from Mooresville, is rejoicing over the result of the election and the recent raise in the remark that he prepares a schedule showing the relative price of corn, eggs, potatoes and silver.

Nelson Tolicgram.

As stated in Tuesday's issue of The Record a raiding raiders designed the gates at the gates on the Chapin and Bloomfield pike, Chapin and Willisburg pike and Chapin and Tatham Springs pike, all located in the vicinity of Bloomfield. The band raided the gates about midnight Monday, and ordered the respective keepers to collect no more toll. It is pretty well established that Nelson county people did not compose the mob.

The Valley Gazette, President of the Bloomfield and Chapin Pike, has written to County Judge Thomas asking him what action should be taken by the turnpike officers in consequence of the destruction of the toll gate on that pike last Monday night. Judge Thomas replied in substance that the gate be restored and a gate keeper secured to collect toll until some action is taken by the Fiscal Court which will probably meet in extra session after the adjournment of the Circuit Court. Judge Thomas advice is probably the best that could be given, and the patience should be exercised until the Fiscal Court acts. It is not necessary, however, to admonish Nelson county people. The recent raid was committed by persons living in other counties. Free turn pike purchasers in Nelson have always evinced a law abiding spirit and will doubtless continue to do so.—Nelson Record.

The Greatest Ride in History

[illegible] 3,000 square miles, [illegible] Idaho and Oregon as they are to-day, were passed to the union by one man. He had the courage and hardiness to ride on mustang for three thousand miles. The ride was thrilling, the trials and hardships marvelous, the result a glorious one. The whole story beautifully illustrated, will be given in the November issue of The Ladies Home Journal, under the title, "When Dr. Whitman Rode Three Stars to Our Flag." The timely and most interesting article is the fourth of a series of "Great Journeys." The first, Stanley's famous Ride, the figure in the story, which broke beyond a doubt the Dark Continent, the "pathfinder" of years.

Nollinger.

Polen's Homewood for dining guests to perform extraordinary [illegible] in the world's cause of humanity. [illegible]

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E. L. DAVISON, JR.

THURSDAY, NOV. 17, 1897.

A REVIVAL of tollgate raiding in the State is threatened in spite of the fact that in most of the counties where the question of free turnpikes was agitated the voters in the late election decided to buy the roads. In Robertson county a notice was posted on all gates that escaped in the past raids warning the keepers to collect no more toll. In Scott county, where free turnpikes were voted, the sentiment is strong in favor of raiding. The authorities in Bath county do not seem disposed to protect the gates. The director of the Frankfort, Lexington and Versailles turnpike have refused the $14 000 assessment of the Fiscal Court, and the property must, therefore, be condemned and sold.

CHARLES P. WEAVER was formally inaugurated Mayor of Louisville at noon Tuesday, and that night sent his first message to the General Council. He congratulated the members on their election inasmuch as it gave them a chance to govern the city honestly and economically. He said he was the Mayor of all the people and not of one class or clique. There is every indication that Mr. Weaver will prove to be one of the most popular mayors Louisville has ever had.

MARK HANNA, it develops, will have rough sailing after all, to stay in the Senate again from Ohio. Foraker, it is said, is playing for the presidency for 1900, and Hanna's opposition claims enough votes in the Legislature to defeat him.

R. W. BROWN, the hustling and popular managing-editor of the Times, has been appointed private secretary to Mr. Weaver. Bob is a favorite among the newspaper gang of the State, who will congratulate him on his good luck.

THE bird law was out on Monday and local nimrods are out in full force this week. It is said that birds are more abundant this season than for many years past, but as the fate they are being slaughtered now, they will soon be thinned out again.

THE school teachers will be glad to hear that Treasurer Long has mailed to the County Superintendents of the State, checks aggregating $521,000, which was the 40 per cent. due them.

THE Montgomery County Fiscal Court has purchased four of the turnpikes leading into Mt Sterling, an aggregate of twenty-five miles, for $14 000.

A REPORT comes from Frankfort that one or two Democratic counties may be added to the Fifth congressional district, make it safely Democratic.

Death of William Terrell.

TATHAM SPRINGS, November 16, 1897.—William Terrell, an old citizen near this place, died on November 14, at 11 o'clock. He was 82 years old, and has a number of great grandchildren and one of the largest family relations in this end of the county. His remains were interred in Rockbridge cemetery Sunday at 4 o'clock by the G. A. R. W. H. Hays Post.

There was a large crowd who followed his remains to its last resting place, and he has many friends and relatives who will mourn the loss of such a friend and neighbor. He was a man who never turned friend or an enemy away empty or hungry. He was always ready to lend a helping hand in time of need, though not rich, but "Uncle Billie," as he was generally known, never refused to loan his friends a few bushels of wheat or corn, or a few dollars in money in time of distress.

He was a member of the Mount Aubnet Baptist church, and was also a member of W. H. Hays Post, G. A. R. "Uncle Billie" was not only a good neighbor but a patriot of the highest type. In 1861 when the North was arrayed against the South, he was among the first to offer his life and services for his country, and he still kept the faith that every young man should cultivate that spark of patriotism, and ever be ready to stand by the blood-stained banner of his country. He did as many other good citizens did—left home and friends—and more than that, he left what is nearer and dearer to any true heart, and that was wife and children who were depending on him for support. Oh, what a perilous time with families it must have been in those days: wife clinging to husband, little children clinging to the parting hand of their father. Oh, what a gigantic spirit a true soldier must have to undergo such trials as these. I don't think the young men of today realize the obligations they are under to the old comrade of our grand and noble republic. I feel that I never can compliment or encourage them enough for the hardships and trials they have endured for the good of their country. I know this world cannot reward or compensate them for their hardships and trials. But I hope and pray that when they join that Mighty Army above under our Great Captain, that there they may receive their just reward for their untiring energy in this life. W. L. K.

"As its brick was lying in my stomach" is the description by Judy people of his feeling after eating.

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Purely vegetable, not containing no dangerous ingredients. Shaker Digestive Cordial tones up, strengthens, and restores to health all the digestive organs.

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Cut this out and take it to your druggist and get a sample bottle free of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. They do not ask you to buy before trying, this will show you the great merits of this truly wonderful remedy, and show you what can be accomplished by the regular size bottle. This is no experiment, and would be disastrous to the proprietors, did they not know it would invariably cure. Many of the best physicians are using it in their practice with great results, and are relying on it in most severe cases. It is guaranteed. Trial bottles at Hayden & Robertson's.

First English Insurance.

In 1667, immediately after the great fire of London, offices were opened in that city for insuring householders against loss in case of the destruction of their property by fire. The idea was given to the English by Italian factors, who were familiar with insurance in their own country.

The Innocence of Genius.

"Young man," said the editor, "this is the seventeenth poem you have offered me in three days."

"I know it," was the answer. "I like to write poetry."

"But don't you think that it is rather an ambitious undertaking? In literature, as in everything else, a man ought to begin at the bottom and work up."

"That's my method precisely. Whenever I write a poem, the first things I think about are its feet."—Washington Star.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY.

Various Treatisums Ways to Prepare the Delightful Bird.

If you have the spirit of thankfulness in your own heart, and want to awaken a corresponding glow in the heart of your lord and master, you will serve your turkey boiled and so get rid of much of the difficulty in carving.

An easy way to bone a turkey is to slit the skin down the back with a sharp knife, and, raising one side at a time with the fingers, separate the flesh from the bones until the wings and legs are reached; unjoint these from the body, and, reaching through to the bone, turn back the flesh and remove the bones. The flesh may be reshaped by stuffing. Stuff with forcemeat made of veal and a little pork chopped fine, and season with salt, pepper, sage or savory, and the juice of a lemon. Sew in shape, and press the wings and legs close to the body, and tie all firmly, so that the upper surface may be smooth and plump. Lard the breast with narrow strips of firm, fat pork, and bake until thoroughly done, basting often with salt and water and a little butter. Serve with a gilbert dressing, to which has been added a cup of strained tomatoes.

To make a gilbert dressing for roast turkey, put the giblets into a pint of water in a saucepan with cold water and add an onion, salt and pepper, and a slice of dry bread that has been made very brown in the oven. Boil until the giblets are done, then strain the stock. Chop the giblets fine and put them and the stock back into the saucepan, dredge with a little flour, add the brown gravy from the bottom of the pan in which the fowl was cooked, after skimming off the fat. Serve hot in a gravy boat.

A good, old fashioned stuffing is made by mixing with a loaf of stale bread half a cup of butter, an egg, salt, pepper, sage and thyme or celery to taste, all brought to the consistency of mush by the addition of hot water.

An oyster dressing is considered an improvement upon the old recipe. It is made by adding to half a loaf of stale bread crumbled half a cup of butter and salt and pepper to taste. Drain off the liquor from a pint of oysters, heat it and pour over the bread crumbs; add an egg and mix all the ingredients well together. A little sweet milk is a great improvement.

HER MAN.

"I fetches my swipes across the face;
When 'e's boosed 'e always kicks me;
'E chases me orf around the place;
Then 'e 'olds me down an' kicks me.
'E stays out 'alf the night with 'is pals,
An' 'e comes 'ome still a-shrieking;
I've seen 'im with them three toolpish gals,
An me wot's been will near breakin.
But, "Bill," I say, "I love yer, Bill,
I'll do wot I can,"
An I try for 'im,
An I'd die for 'im,
For 'e's my man.

'E snorts an' we 'ow'st an' kicks on the roof,
An I tries to smile, 'orf jiggy.
I've acted for a kitchen at my 'eart,
Good lawd, but yer wouldn't 'ave yer 'eart
For I wouldn't like the kid to 'ear
I wouldn't it may be funny—
The things 'e mother 'as 'ad to bear
Just to get 'ill drinkin money.
But, "Bill," I say, "I love yer, Bill,
I'll stand it if I can.
Yes me, yer at me,
Yes my sweet an me,
But yer's my man."

The Sensible Time to Lower 'ed
Now when 'e come out of Bedlam,
It saved 'im from gettin quite to the bad,
Though for five long years I lored all.
An when I met 'im outside the gate
'E blushed just like a baby,
"Lilo, Sal, oh gal!" see 'e—that's straight,
"Why ain't yer dressed like a widdy?"
Then, "Bill," I say, "I love yer, Bill,
I've worked as 'ard as I can—
I've been strong for yer,
An I long for yer,
For yer's my man."

—Sketch.

The Customs of the Tartars.

Now that we have begun to speak of the Tartars, I have plenty to tell you on that subject. The Tartar custom is to spend the winter in warm plains, where they find good pasture for their cattle, while in summer they betake themselves to a cool climate among the mountains and valleys, where water is to be found as well as woods and pastures.

Their houses are circular and are made of wands covered with felts. These are carried along with them whithersoever they go, for the wands are so strongly bound together and likewise so well combined that the frame can be made very light. Whenever they erect these huts the door is always to the south. They also have wagons covered with black felt so ingeniously that no rain can get in. These are drawn by oxen and camels, and the women and children travel in them. The women do the buying and selling and whatever is necessary to provide for the husband and household, for the men all lead the life of gentlemen, troubling themselves about nothing but hunting and hawking and looking after their goshawks and falcons, unless it be the practice of warlike exercises.

They live on the milk and meat which their herds supply and on the produce of the chase, and they eat all kinds of flesh, including that of horses and dogs and Pharaoh's rats, of which last there are great numbers in the arrows on those plains.—Noali Brooks in St. Nicholas.

Thoughts For Thanksgiving.

When you awake on Thanksgiving morn, you will doubtless feel a cynical complacency as to whether you have any cause for gratitude or not. You undoubtedly have. You should be thankful that convention does not require you to be publicly grateful but once a year.

Be thankful that nearly a month intervenes between the Thanksgiving turkey and the Christmas goose and that you have time to recover from the effects of one before attacking the other.

Think over the gifts you have to buy before Christmas and be grateful with your whole soul because the custom of making Thanksgiving presents does not prevail also.—New York World.

Consuming and Unconsumed.

A burning coal mine exists in Pictou county, Canada. The commissioners appointed by the local government to report on the history, causes and effects of the coal mine fires of the above district reported that the Foord coal pit has been on fire at one place or another ever since 1859, and that it was still burning and likely to burn.

Beware Of the Knife.

Mr. Lincoln Nelson, of Marshfield, Mo., writes: "For six years I have been a sufferer from a scrofulous affection of the glands of my neck, and all efforts of physicians in Washington, D. C., Springfield, Ill., and St. Louis failed to reduce the enlargement. After six months' constant treatment here, my physician urged me to submit to a removal of the gland. At this critical moment a friend recommended S.S.S., and laying aside a deep-rooted prejudice against all patent medicines, I began its use. Before I had used one bottle the enlargement began to disappear, and now it is entirely gone, though I am not through with my second bottle yet. Had I only used your S.S.S. long ago, I would have escaped years of misery and saved over $100."

This experience is like that of all who suffer with deep-seated blood troubles. The doctors can do no good, and even their resorts to the knife prove either fruitless or fatal. S.S.S. is the only real blood remedy; it gets at the root of the disease and forces it out permanently.

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Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb like the bladder, was created for one purpose and if not shortened too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passages is often by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly set your urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention NEWS-LEADER and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co Binghamton N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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Cleopatra's Mummy.

Where does Cleopatra's body rest? Scarcely a layman who would not answer, "Why, in Egypt!"

After her capitulation, her wife, her life of interest if not very sanctified loves, Cleopatra was laid in one of the loveliest tombs that has ever been fashioned by the hand of man. But what a change 2,000 years has brought about!

Today an ugly mummy, with an emblematic bunch of decayed wheat and a coarse comb tied to its head—a mere roll of tightly swathed dust—lies crumbled in a hideous glass case at the British museum. It is Cleopatra, the once great queen, a Venus in charms, beauty and love.—St. Paul's.

Germany's Fast Train.

Germany's fastest long distance train is the Ostend-St. Petersburg, which runs 881 miles over German territory in 22½ hours, a mean speed, including stops, of 39.1 miles an hour. On the return journey better time is made, the rate being 40.6 miles, or, in actual running time, excluding stops, 45¼ miles. The train between Berlin and Hamburg, however, makes 176¼ miles in 3 hours 36 minutes, the mean speed being 49.1 miles an hour.

How Many Pounds?

A correspondent sends to The Companion a "true story," which could only be true, perhaps, in this age of college athletics.

A group of people were discussing a recent novel. Some liked it, only some thought it freshy or worse.

"For my part," said a lady "I found it highly interesting. I especially liked John, the brother of the heroine you remember. Not a very amiable character—a little coarse, no doubt—but well sketched in, and decidedly strong."

At this point a young collegian, who had taken no part in the conversation suddenly found his voice:

"How much can he lift?" he asked in all seriousness.—Youth's Companion.

THE TABLES WERE TURNED.

How a Practical Joker's Rude Trick Proved His Own Discomfiture.

Royalty dearly loves its fun, and nowhere are practical jokes more in vogue than in the palaces of old world monarchs. No one, it is said, is fonder of practical joking than the Prince of Wales. His private secretary, Sir Francis Knollys, has, in times gone by, been called upon to endure with good humor and serenity many a trying experience. One day not long ago, Sir Francis got the laugh on the would be joker and gave him a taste of his own medicine.

Among the prince's friends was a famous sportsman, Captain "Bay" Middleton, whose favorite trick used to be to approach from behind some unsuspecting man and seize his coattails, which he would wrench apart in such a manner as to split the garment up the back.

At Sandringham Sir Francis took pains to offer himself as the victim and bait for the gallant "Bay." When the men retired to the smoking room after the princess and ladies were gone, he took up his place in front of the fire, bent his head, and appeared entirely lost in thought.

His attitude was too inviting not to appeal to the jocular instincts of Captain Middleton, who, after asking the prince's permission to leave the card table for a moment, crept up softly to Sir Francis, suddenly seized hold of the tails of his dress coat, and with a jerk tore it apart from waist to collar.

Unlike most of "Bay's" victims, Sir Francis took the matter in exceeding good humor. He laughed heartily and appeared greatly to enjoy the fun. Somewhat astonished, the prince and the men present inquired how it was that Sir Francis had treated the matter with such indifference.

"That is very easy to explain, sir," was the reply. "The coat is not mine. I had heard of Middleton's fondness for this particular form of amusement, and, accordingly, when I came down stairs just now to the smoking room I took the precaution of going into his room and putting on one of his dress coats, which was lying on his bed."

There was a hurricane of irrepressible laughter as he uttered these words, and the merriment was intensified by the disconcerted appearance of Captain Middleton, who was bitterly annoyed at have thus destroyed one of his best evening coats.—New York Journal.

A Motor's Quarter Century Run.

A wheelman hung his bicycle from the ceiling of his cellar and set far from a swinging shelf on which food was kept. A mouse jumped from the wall on to the tire of the front wheel, evidently hoping thereby to reach the shelf. The wheel started, and mouse naturally ran forward the highest part of it. It was able to stay on the top of the tire, but couldn't get enough of a foothold to jump to the wall. When found next morning, the mouse was very much exhausted, though still running. The cyclometer showed that it had traveled over 48 miles.—Albany Express.

Why It Was So Orange.

A country rector complained to a well known dignitary of the church that he had received only £3 for preaching a sermon at Oxford.

"Five pounds!" exclaimed the dignitary. "Why, I would not have preached that sermon for £50."—London Tit-Bits.

Loretto Hamlet cannot be traced beyond the fifteenth century and did not originate at the station, but were carried there by pilgrims. Such is the consolation, after careful examination, of Father Sauton of Cologne.

It is said that the word "Bapdoodle" was first used by Captain Marryat in "Peter Simple," where it was made to mean "the stuff they feed fools on."

The statue of Jupiter Olympius, by Phidias, was of gold and ivory and was 58 feet high. It was finished in the year 144 B. C.

Musical Recitation.

Although the Quakers, as a sect, do not favor music, regarding it as a profitless amusement indulged in by the world's people, there are occasionally stories told which show that the love of music sometimes steals its way into a Quaker household in spite of discipline.

George Thompson, the famous English abolitionist, while lecturing on the abolition of slavery in the British provinces, stopped one night with a Quaker family. He was a great lover of music, and at that time was a good singer.

During the evening he sang "Oft In the Stilly Night," which was listened to with the closest attention.

In the morning his Quaker hostess appeared somewhat sunny. She wished to hear the song again, but it would hardly do, she thought, for her to request its repetition. At last, however, her desire overcame her scruples.

"George," she said, with a faint pink color in her soft cheeks, "will thee repeat the words of last evening in thy usual manner?"—Youth's Companion.

The Field of Waterloo.

The modern Belgian peasant attacks the visitor to Waterloo with importunate and demands English silver most persistently. The conductor of the charabanc which conveys you to the field startdly claims backsheesh for the sole service of having relieved you of your fare. From the moment you leave the station until the moment you return you are pursued by a crowd of ragged urchins howling "Charlie" at the tops of their lusty voices or insisting on the purchase of the most ridiculous mementos. At the gates of La Haye Sainte, where the brave Germans fell to a man after having exhausted their ammunition, a farm girl invites you to enter and then bars your exit with a belated demand for half a franc a visitor. At Hougoumont they have learned to improve upon this. A lady makes terms with you while you are at the gate for admission at the rate of half a franc each, but this you learn, to your disgust, on your departure does not include an additional charge of half a franc for the service of the gardener to tap farm from whose clamor you have vainly endeavored to escape during the entire length of your stay. Such is sober truth in the condition of the field of Waterloo today. What it will be when the railway is opened and the defeated battalions of the "personally conducted" are poured out on it is one of those things it is better to suspect than know.—Pall Mall Gazette.

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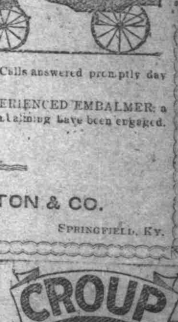
Evils of the Coffee Habit.

There is no century in America and on the European continent against coffee drunkenness, which is said to be one of the latest dangers. A New York doctor who has made a special study of the subject says his observation has shown beyond question that chronic coffee poisoning is much more common than is generally supposed. The symptoms are usually confounded with alcoholic disturbance, because coffee dyspepsia bears a striking resemblance to alcoholic dyspepsia. There are the four stages for food, morning expectoration of mucous and marked anorexia. This disgust for food increases in severe cases, until the patient can only take coffee or brandy soaked in coffee. Nausea follows, and many of the other ills that flesh is heir to. Concerning the same evil Dr. Mendil of Sherlin has published a clinical study which is the most thorough yet made, as he had a large community of coffee drinkers under his constant observation—the working women in and about Essen. He found many of these women became over a pound of coffee a week. The leading symptoms of the ills that afflicted them were profound depression of spirits and frequent headaches, with insomnia. A strong dose of coffee would relieve them for a time, when the ailment would return. The muscles became weak and trembling, and the hands trembled when at rest. The victims suffered so seriously that they dared not abandon the drinking of coffee for fear of death.—Home and Colonial Mail.



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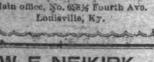

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NEXT Monday will be County Court day.

FRESH fish and oysters extra select 50c a quart at W. P. Bell's on Friday.

JAMES B. RYAN in a card in this issue offers his services as an auctioneer. Jim is a clever fellow and a good auctioneer.

MCCHORD & ROBERTSON are offering special bargains in Cloaks. See their display ad. on this page.

BARGAINS in winter boots at Isaac Curry's.

SALESMAN WANTED.—A reliable man to sell our Tiger Brand Lub'g oils and Greases Belt Oil and Roofing Paint. Liberal terms and commission. References required. Address: The Howard Oil & Grease Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

CANNED goods of all kinds at Curry's.

HAVING decided to move, with my family to Indianapolis I will have a public sale of household and kitchen furniture at my residence on Saturday, November 27th. Sale to begin 1.30 p. m.

JACK W. THOMPSON.

LAMPS and lamp trimmings at extremely low prices at Curry's.

CIRCUIT Court adjourned Saturday after a very short session. The only cases of any importance tried at the term were those of the Commonwealth against John T. Craycroft and the indictments against the Ohio Valley Telephone Co., and thirty-two of its employees.

SPECIAL prices on Queensware to reduce stock at Curry's.

THE jury in the case of the Commonwealth against John T. Craycroft for shooting at Thos. W. Simms brought in a verdict of a fine of $150 against the defendant. The trial attracted considerable interest owing to the prominence of the parties and the facts in the case were substantially as have been detailed in these columns before and with which the public is familiar.

A large line of toilet soap just received and for sale very cheap at Isaac Curry's.

MESSRS. BOB CAMPBELL and Will Walker two young men of this place went to East Texas on last Sunday night to call on some young ladies and while their buggy was left hitched nearby some miscreant with a knife cut the top into shoe strings. The boys think they have a clew to the perpetrators of the cowardly act.

PLUMP, pretty, pickled pigs feet that are positively pleasant to the palate can be purchased at W. P. Bell's.

I HAVE just opened a Repair Shop at S. M. Karrick's, and am prepared to do all kinds of repairing in the harness and saddle line.

J. LECRETT SIMMS.

THE ladies of the Catholic Church will serve a public dinner on next County Court Day, November 22 in the vacant store room formerly occupied by J. G. Mansfield. Everybody should patronize these ladies by paying 25 cents and getting a good dinner and helping a good cause.

THE Ladies Cottage Prayer Meeting will be held on next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lawson. Immediately after prayer meeting the Society of Progressive Workers will meet to transact some important business.

A PROTRACTED meeting is in progress at the Methodist church and will continue through this week and next. The hours of service are 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. every day except Sunday, which is 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Preaching by the Rev. J. L. Reid. All are cordially invited to attend and take part.

THE Town Boys and the High School teams met again on the gory gridiron yesterday, and there were several accidents, but not of a serious nature, however. The Town Boys were again victorious, but it was only after a hard struggle, the score standing 4 to 0 at the conclusion of the game. The High School eleven, under the coaching of popular George Colvin, showed a decided improvement in their playing. The teams play again next Wednesday, and promises to be very exciting.

DISMISSED.

After a hard fought battle before Judge Patteson in the Circuit Court the cases against the Ohio Valley Telephone Co., and thirty-two of it employees for committing a public nuisance were dismissed the court ruling that jurisdiction in the case properly belonged to the Police court of the town of Springfield.

The case was called Friday and both sides declared ready. Capt. Gifford and Messrs. Featherstone and Lord, of the Ohio Valley Telephone Company came out accompanied by Mr. Strauss, of Shepherdsville, one of the company's chief attorneys, and a stenographer to take the testimony. Besides Mr. Strauss the Ohio Valley Co., had employed Messrs. C. C. McChord and J. W. S. Clements to assist in the defense. The prosecution was represented by Messrs. W. C. McChord, John W. Lewis, I. H. Thurman and W. H. Sweeny the Commonwealth's Attorney. A jury composed of representative citizens of the county was selected and the taking of testimony bogun. Quite a number of witnesses for the Commonwealth were examined who told of the way in which the employees of the O. V. Company came into town during the night and dug holes and erected poles through some of the streets and alleys. The evidence was intended to show that the defendants had committed a public nuisance as charged in the indictment by so obstructing the streets and alleys of the town. At the close of the evidence for the Commonwealth a motion was made by the defense for pre-emptory instructions. The court after hearing arguments from both sides at some length decided to dismiss the defendants on the grounds that the Circuit Court had no jurisdiction and that action should have been brought in the Police court inas much as the alleged offense was committed in violation of a town ordinance covering a public nuisance.

The effect of the courts decision will not as has been erroneously reported give the right to come into the town and establish an exchange and run its lines for the reason that there is an ordinance in force forbidding any telephone or telegraph company from establishing lines through the town without the consent of the board of trustees. It is not known just what will be the next move taken by the Ohio Valley Company, but it is thought that the matter will rest for a while at least.

Certainly not does want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried DeWitt's little Early Risers for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators. Waters & Browne.

SHEPARD'S RUN.

From our Special Correspondent.

Miss Mattie Moffet of Valley Hill, was visiting her sister Mrs. Damon Carrico last week.

Miss Jennie Bodine, Moores ville, visited the Misses Carrico's a few days since.

Mr Edward Montblank has gone to Larue county to deliver fruit trees.

Mr. Bell Willet has rented a farm of Mrs. Sallie Grundy and will move in a few weeks. The people of this community dislike to give up so good a neighbor, and congratulate those with whom he will be associated.

Mrs. Samuel Smith and her daughter Miss Cecili. of Raywick are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Osborne visited Mrs. Nunan, Mrs. Osborn's mother, a few days since.

Mr. Richard Smith sold to a Lebanon company 7 head of 850 pound cattle at 3¼ cents. He also sold to the Springfield Fur Company 9 head of 1000 pound cattle at 3¼ cents.

Mr. Henry Smith sold to a Lebanon Company 18 head of 1350 pound cattle at 4¼ cents for the European market. He also bought of Damon Carrico five heifers. Price unknown.

PERSONAL.

—Miss Margaret Medley will entertain this evening in honor of Miss Wathen.

—Miss Carrie Seleman has been quite ill with diptheria. She is, however, rapidly improving.

—Mrs. B. B. Leachman and children of Pleasant Grove, were guests of Mrs. W. R. Thurman yesterday.

—Mrr. Graham Vreeland, of Louisville, was the guest of Mrr. C. C. McChord, the first of the week.

—Misses Sue Duncan and Miss Mary Reed, of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood were in town yesterday. Miss Reed has just returned from a pleasant visit to Perryville.

—Mr. Dave Walker, of Louisville, is visiting relatives at Valley Hill, and taking his annual hunt. He is a fine sportsman and is having good success among the birds.

—Miss Dollie Greene has returned from a visit to Bardstown. She was accompanied home by Miss Nancy Williams, of that place, who will be a guest at the Greene home.

The many friends of F. M. Campbell, our clever Circuit Clerk, are glad to see him once more able to be out on the streets again after quite a siege with an attack of indigestion.

—We have received an invitation to the marriage of Miss May Morrill, of Rans, Ohio, to John Tom Orkies, of New Martinsville, W. Va. John is an old Springfield boy and the NEWS-LEADER joins with his many friends here in offering congratulations.

—Mrs. Clara D. Offutt, of Shelbyville, died Saturday at the residence of her son-in-law Mr. W. R. Haldeman in Louisville. Mrs. Offutt spent several weeks this summer at Tatnam Springs, where she was known to a good many Springfield people.

—Miss Lucille Thurman, who has been visiting her sisters here this summer, left yesterday for Leland, Miss. She was accompanied as far as West Point, Ky., by Miss Nannie Ray, who will stop at that place for a short visit to Mrs. Kate Wathen.

The Coming Woman

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It is related of Col. Maupin—one of the pioneers of Barren county—that, while the sublime spectacle was at its height, a servant came into his room to kindle a fire. "Good God!" exclaimed the Colonel excitedly, "Take that fire out of here. There'll be fire a-plenty here directly!"

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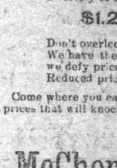

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Sapp's Appointments.

As soon as the smoke of Tuesday's battle cleared away, Mr. Chas E. Sapp, Collector, proceeded to cut the Federal pie, which he had temptingly displayed on his pantry shelf during the recent campaign. This time the pie is rather small, in no wise resembling the large, juicy affair Collector Johnson had the pleasure of passing around four years ago. It was divided into five pieces, and given to those whom Mr. Sapp considered the most deserving of the faithful as follows: The position of Cashier in the Collector's office, salary $1,300 a year, to R. L. Gwathmey, who displaced Miss Ella Kouenberg. Mr. Johnson's sister-in law, Stamp Deputy Collector at Bardstown, salry $800, to R. C Speed, vice Henry Bacon, who "didn't want it any longer, anyway;" Stamp Deputy Collector at Lebanon, salary $800, to W. T Hawkins, vice M. F. Hetherington; same position at New Haven' salary $800, to E. W. Atherton, vice Chas Rapier; same position at New Hope, salary $800, to E. J. Ashcraft, vice George Woodring. This list exhausts the offices at the Collector's disposal, the remaining officers in the internal revenue service being under the protection of the civil service, and no further changes will likely be made for some time, unless in the case of an officer who is convicted of some neglect or inefficiency. The office at that place will be turned over to the new incumbent, Mr. Hawkins, next Monday, and that gentleman is now familiarizing himself with the duties of the position. A better selection could not have been made. General satisfaction to all parties concerned, could not possibly have been made for this office, and Mr. Hawkins is being generally congratulated on his deserved good fortune.

New Game Law.

The following is offered as a new game law; 'Book agents may be killed from October 1 to September 1; spring poets from March 1 to June 1; scandal mongers April 1 to February 1; umbrella borrowers August 1 to November 1 and from February 1 to May 1, while every man who accepts a paper two years but when the bill is presented says "I never ordered it," may be killed on sight without reserve or relief from vaquation or apprisement laws and buried face downward, without benefit or clergy.

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"Where are you going?"

"Oh, I'm going out for a few minutes."

"Where?"

"Oh, nowhere in particular."

"What for?"

"Oh, nothing."

"Why do you go, then?"

"Well, I want to go; that's why?"

"Do you have to go?"

"I don't know that I do."

"Why do you go, then?"

"Because."

"Because what?"

"Well, simply because."

"Going to be gone long?"

"No."

"How long?"

"I don't know."

"Anybody going with you?"

"No."

"Well, it's strange that you can't be content to stay at home a few minutes. Don't he gone long, will you?"

"No."

"See that you don't."

This is one reason why so many marriages are a dead, flat failure and failure.—Buffalo Times.

Calamitous.

One day a Dutchman, in his shirt sleeves, was shaving himself before the glass. His hand trembled so that he cut off the tip of his nose. The pain caused him to drop his razor, which fell on his foot and cut off a portion of his big toe. He promptly picked up the two fragments, applied them, still warm, to the open sores and bound them up. A fortnight later, on removing the bandages, he discovered to his horror that he had made a mistake. He had put the toe in the place of his nose and vice versa. Now when he wants to scratch his nose he is obliged to take off his boot.—Philadelphia Keystone.

Movements of Seafowl.

Young wild ducks are so light and active that they seem able to run on the surface of the water. It is hardly credible that they can do so, as a "water boatman" does, without breaking the "surface film," but they certainly can make a dash for a short distance with their feet on the water and the whole of their body cut of it. In catching insects on the water they rival the dexterity of a young partridge on an ant hill. There is very little doubt also that, like young fish, they live largely on the microscopic entomostraca, which come as a kind of manna in the wilderness to all aquatic creatures.

Young coots, water hens, water rails, grebes and avocets are almost as clever as the young wild ducks when in their downy youth. Later, when nearly fledged, and even when able to fly, they are much less adroit. They lose their cleverness, together with the beauty of baby hood, and pass through a stupid half fledged period as "flappers." Even their nerves go amiss. In parts of Iceland the line of flight of the young swans is marked by the natives, who assemble, and when the flocks pass over yell, shout and scream at the birds. The young swans become perfectly muddled, and many of them simply close their wings, leave off flying and drop to the ground, when they are caught.—London Spectator.

Protection For Sales.

While there may be some plausible pretext for setting traps for mischievous persons and animals, there can be but little urged in favor of this practice when any number of individuals have access to the place in which the traps are placed. An inventor has brought out a device, by means of which, when a door is opened, a hammer falls and a glass vessel containing poisonous chemicals is broken. The fumes of the drug either stupefy or kill the burglar. This is all very well, if no one but the burglar ever went there, but should some interested person attempt to open the safe he might forget that the trap was placed and be affected by the vapor of the chemicals. Such devices involve too much risk to the innocent ever to become popular.—New York Ledger.

Unmeasured.

Jayson—They say Dr. Brimstone cures all kinds of cures.

Bayson—My butcher goes him one better.

Jayson—How's that?

Bayson—He cows both.—Washington Times.

Glowworms are much more brilliant when a dream is running on their other seasons. Like many other mysteries of nature, this curious circumstance has never been explained.

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Less than one-eighth of the so called convent hair really comes from convents, as the term convent hair applies, among hair dealers, to any hair bought from the heads of young, healthy girls, whether they are nuns or not.

Of the real convent hair quantities come from France, Germany and Italy. At present, black hair being in great demand, importations are made from France. Beautiful glossy hair is also collected from the convents of Spain and Portugal.—Pearson's Weekly.

Charles II of Navarre was surnamed the Bad on account of his vicious private life. The same unenviable title was also bestowed upon William II of the two Sicilies.

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